He was jealous of her apparently, she explained, because of his ignorance of the unconventional, the somewhat free and easy social customs of the small American town. . He used to grind his teeth and rush out of the reception room when any of her young men friends dropped in with a frank "Hello, Glacia; how d'ye do?" She was in actual terror of him at such times, she said yesterday afternoon.

The night of January 2 they dressed to go to a concert, a small affair.

"Naturally I wanted to look as nice as I could," she said. "I dressed in black, being in mourning for my grandmother and added to my costume a handsome big black hat with ostrich plumes, a stunning affair, believe me. Brother Sonny was in the drawing room when I came down. He had just come from an Elks party over in Portsmouth, an all night affair, I guess. Sonny said I looked just grand, but Paul flew into a passion when he saw my hat.

"Take that horrible affair off,' he cried. 'I won't endure it. Don't you suppose I know that you intend to make a conquest of all the men around you? Do you take

"I explained how it was that at such informal affairs American women liked to wear their prettiest hats, because custom did not demand that they should remove them, and that I didn't propose to go any-where bundled up in an automobile veil that would make my hair as ugly as Medusa's head dress when I arrived.

"Sonny put in a word or two. I don't is sonny put in a word or two. I don't is sonny was angry. He

know what, but Sonny was angry. He didn't like to bear me abused. He shot me a quick glance which meant, 'Leave the room. I'll talk to him.' "I ran out, the tears falling down my face, and as I started through the butler's pantry I heard several shots—I can't re-

member how many. By the time I was back to the door it had opened and my brother was stumbling toward me, crying:
"Peachy' that was my pet name, Peachy
"I'm shot!" And as he said it he gave a queer
little gurgle down in his throat, threw his
arms out, missed me and fell forward on

is face in the pantry."

Glacia Calla was on her feet while she told this, illustrating it vividly with eyes and arms and body. Then she dropped back on the red silk couch, drew the black coat around her shoulders and went on with the rest of the story—how she rushed out of the house screaming and through the dark across the fields to where her mother lived, across the fields to where her morner lived, tearing her silk stockings as she climbed fences, afraid every second that she would hear footsteps behind her and that her hus-band would kill her before she could reach

her mother's.

Mrs. Kelly and Jack Kelly heard her cries, but before they could get down to her Roy sprang up behind her, grabbed her by the arm and waved a pistol. She went

He told me to keep my mouth shut that it was an accident, and that if he himself had killed Roy it was done in self-de-fence. I was so frightened I was willing to say and do anything. We all went back

the house together.
Dr. William O. bunkins came pretty seen and said that Sonny was dead. There was a bullet hole in his forehead just above the uose and a deep cut over the nose. All of us thought that the bullet in the head had killed Sonny. The doctor believed that was the case and accepted our story that it had been as unfortunate accident. that it had been an unfortunate accident Sonny's pistol was in plain sight, but I don't remember whether it was in his hand or not when he fell toward me in the pantry. I know I saw it after he was dead lying on the floor, I think. The Coroner, Mr. Nute, an old friend of ours, was there next, but e never thought there had been a mur-er. People in little country communities are slow to grasp such things. Mr. Nute turned the body over to Cliver Ham, the undertaker, and Mr. Ham prepared it for burial wichout telling us he had discovered anything important
Talk about Dr. lekyll and Mr. Hydel

If Roy wasn't a combination of that sort I never heard of one. He watched at night with us over the body, pleasant, sympathetic, tender in his manner toward but extremely unwilling to touch ny's body. We couldn't get him to times. At the funeral he was grave and sorrowful and received the condolences of our friends just as we did. He took a last look at Sonny's face with me on his Why, it makes me creep to think

The funeral was held on Sunday, January That very day my mother gathered up the clothes. Sonny were when he died. As she was making them into a bundle, fondling. them and kissing them in a way that mothers have, she saw blood on the back of Sonny's cont and on his underclothing, and when she looked closer she saw two bullet holes—holes through the back of the coat, his vest and the three shirts he wore. She picked up the bundle and rushed into om where Paul was sitting, holding i in front of his face.
"Oh, you coward! she cried. 'Now I

know. You shot my boy in the back, and you have lied about it all this while!' My husband jumped up and caught her

"I shot Sonny, but it was in self-de-fence, he said. 'He had his own pistol out and was shooting at me. I had to shoot to save my own life."

"But my mother ran out of the room and

went home. Roy was afraid the truth would come out, so he packed up and left for New York. Here he found some French chauffeurs that knew him and managed to get some money from them. I came here to look for him, but I didn't get to see him. He sailed on the Lusitania two weeks ago

and is now in Paris, I suppose.

I made up my mind that it was my duty to tell the authorities all I knew, and on the advice of my personal counsel, Col. John H. Bartlett of Portsmouth, I went to County Attorney Batchelder. The autopsy followed, which proved all I said, that Sonny was murdered, and from behind at that."

Mrs. Roy said she was going back to Portsmouth voluntarily and at the request of her counsel, to further the investigation. She thought, she said, that a request for Roy's extradition would be made at once. The despatches say France won't extradite one

of her citizens. The young woman has had a curious areer. It was in 1903 that the French artist Joubert painted her picture as "The American Beauty." Before that she had been a chorus girl. Later there came stories of her posing as the niece of a Baroness von

Orendorff; of how she studied music through the kindness of a wealthy lawyer of Boston; of how the Count de Beynac became infatuated with her, of how she came to this country and cut splurges in Washington and in Boston. Always she had plenty of money and always she dressed expensively and lived luxuriously. She has been known by many names, Lillian Carkins, Gladys Hodgdon, Gladys Lillian Carkins, Mrs. William G. Murray, Mrs. William Channing South-ern and Glacia Calia. Southern she mar-

ern and Glacia Calla. Southern she mar-ried in 1895, but she got a divorce from him after a few years.

She says she has studied the art of singing in Paris under Madame Marchesi and other famous teachers, and that among her class-mates were Geraldine Farrar. Indisputably the has a gift for romantic parartice. she has a gift for romantic narrative.

# ROY SAYS CARKINS FIRED FIRST

And That They Exchanged Five Shots Story of Suicide Arranged.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. PARIS, Feb. 26.-Paul Roy, who is accused by his wife, the actress known as Glacia Calla, of having murdered her brother, George A. Carkins, at Newington, N. H., gives the following account of the

"When my wife and I entered the house at # o'clock in the evening after visiting her cousin, named Hodgson, we found Carkins had returned from Portsmouth. After dinner my wife dressed for a concert at Greenland, near Newington. When I saw her hat, which was large and voluminous, I said it would prevent her from sitting comfortably in the automobile. She failed. Then Stack had him arrested.



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harshly upbraided me for wishing to spoil her enjoyment, saying she would complain to her brother.

"I said I would not go to the concert and told her her brother could take her. As I passed through the kitchen to go to my mother-in-law's for the night I heard an insulting word. A quarrel began, in which my wife insulted me and my father. I replied sharply. She cried and dared me to repeat in English what I had said. I repeated it, whereupon Carkins fired his

"I drew the revolver with which I had provided myself for the night's outing. We both fired five shots and my wife fled to the dining room and I rushed to my mother-in-law's. Carkins managed to craw to the dining room, where he said to his sister, 'Peach, I am a dead man.'

"The Coroner believed the testimony given by my mother-in-law, my wife and myself that the case was one of suicide." Roy added that he arranged to take a French steamer from New York, but took the Lusitania three days earlier without

telling his wife. When questioned about the report that arkins fired at the floor merely to frighten him Roy said he had traced the five bullets fired by Carkins and their positions showed they were aimed at his head.

A friend of Roy says he objected to his wife going to the concert and insulted her about a singer who was to perform. This was the insult she challenged him to repeat in English.

WARRANT OUT FOR ROY.

Sheriff Trying to Run Down a Life Insurance Story.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Feb. 26 .- Sheriff orliss of Rockingham county swore out o-night a warrant for the arrest of Paul E. Roy charging him with the murder of George A. Carkins at Newington on Januarv 2.

Three copies of the warrant were made. wo of which will be sent to the State Capitol at Concord and from there they will be sent to the Department of Justice at Washington. It is expected that the Federal authorities will communicate with the French Government upon the subject of Roy's extradition.

Sheriff Collis is very busy to-day searching for evidence bearing on the shooting of Carkins and its motive. He is deeply interested in the report which has found currency here that Carkins carried a large insurance on his life in favor of his mother and sister and that it was after an attempt had been made to collect on these policies without success because of a clause vitiating them in case of suicide that Mrs. Roy returned to this city determined to expose

Evidence was disclosed here to-day showng that Mrs. Hodgdon and the Baroness Orendorf, the "patroness" of Mrs. Roy, or Glacia Calla, are one and the same persons. A school companion when shown a picture of Glacia Calla and the Baroness Orendorf o-day said in regard to Baroness Orendorf: "That is not Mrs. John D. Kelly, mother of Mrs. Roy, but it is Ann Hodgdon.

Relatives at Newington say the picture may be that of Mrs. Hodgdon, though she has not been at Newington for a number of

o-day, agents of the French police, accompanied by Pinkerton detectives and Secret Service men, have been in Newington tracng the Baroness Orendorf while she was ouring the country with Glacia Calla. Two rears ago they made a vigorous search out failed to find her. Boston, Feb. 26.—In regard to a state-

BOSTON, Feb. 26.—In regard to a state-nent that Roy and Miss Carkins were married in this city on October 7, 1007, the records of marriages during October were rone over to-day, but no entry of the Royarkins marriage was found.

#### "J. FULTON ROGERS" AGAIN. Accused This Time of Beating Inventor Out of Patent Money.

Charles A. Stephens, a lawyer at 118 Nassau street, who was arrested February 20 on a charge of using the mails to defrand, was arrested again yesterday in the General Post Office on the complaint of George Poll of 694 Harmon street, Brooklyn. Poll entered into negotiations about half a year ago with Stephens to get him a patent on an operating table. In the complaint \$58 is mentioned as the sum of which

Stephens defrauded Poll. Poil said last night that he gave Stephens \$100 and that after the arrest he got word from Stephens he would settle up to-day f Poll would drop the complaint. Stephens. according to Lieut. McConville, is J. Fulton Rogers, some of whose stationery was in the offices of A. K. Hubbard & Co., so-called brokers, raided on February 5 by

### HOTEL KNICKERBOCKER STUNG. Manager Passed Out Cash on Checks Which the Bank Says Are Bad.

On the complaint of James H. Stack, nanager of the Hotel Knickerbocker, Headquarters detectives last night arrested C. Richard Parks, 22 years old, who said that up to four months ago he had been a clerk for an interior decorating concern n Montreal, and locked him up on a charge

of larceny.

Last Saturday night Parks, well dressed and of good appearance, registered at the Knickerbocker. He went to Manager Stack on Monday and had him cash a check for \$20. Yesterday he asked to have a \$50 check cashed. Stack advanced him \$20 on the check, and later learned by telegraphing to the Commercial National Bank of Brudford, Pa. on which the checks were

Bradford, Pa., on which the checks were drawn, that they were not good. Parks said that there was some mistake,

KELSEY REMAINS IN OFFICE

SENATE BY A VOTE OF 30 TO 19 REFUSES TO REMOVE HIM.

15 Republicans and 15 Democrats Stand by Him While 17 Republicans and Two Democrats Support the Governor—Five Senators Change Their Vote of Last Year

ALBANY, Feb. 26.—State Superintendent of Insurance Otto Kelsey is to serve out the full term for which he was appointed by Gov. Higgins, which expires on February 11, 1909, after Gov. Hughes shall have retired from office. To-day the State Senate by a vote of 30 to 19 for a second time decided that Mr. Kelsey should not be removed. There were fifteen Republicans and fifteen Democrats who stood by Mr. Kelsey, while seventeen Republicans and two Democrats supported Gov. Hughes's recommendation of removal.

The Senate devoted less than half an hour to the consideration of the Kelsey question. This was the surprise of the day. It had been expected that the debate would last until late in the afternoon. Even Senator Raines, the Republican leader, expected that some hours would be devoted to the debate on the question of removal. for he had the Senate dispose of its routine business when the session opened to-day before taking up the Kelsey question.

The Hughes Senators were waiting for these Senators who were to support Kelsey to open the debate. They evidently thought Mr. Kelsey's friends would not dare to vote without defending their position. This was the reason why there was a rollcall on the question of removal without a single Senator explaining his vote, because it was arranged beforehand that the Kelsey Senators should do nothing but vote. Thus it was that the rollcall was completed before the Senators supporting Gov. Hughes realized it. They had been taken completely unawares and had not recovered before the vote was announced. A number of Senators had prepared speeches for the occasion, but eemed to have lost their bearings as the rollcall proceeded.

The vote was not announced until some ninutes after the roll call had been completed, for the reason that Senators Mulaney and Thompson were not in the chamber and Senator Raines wanted to give them an opportunity to be recorded. Senator McCall (Tam.) was absent, but sent a telegram saying that if he was present he would vote to sustain Supt. Kelsey. Senator Mullaney came into the chamber in time to be recorded in the negative against removal.

One of the most surprising turns in the way the vote went was the change made by Senator O'Neil (Rep., Franklin). On the first roll call he voted to remove Supt. Kelsey. A year ago he made a speech showing it was necessary in order to preserve the integrity and command respect for the State Insurance Department that Supt. Kelsey should be removed. To-day while waiting for Senators Thompson and Mullaney to come into the chamber be changed his vote from the affirmative to the

negative.

Five Senators who voted a year ago to remove Supt. Kelsey to-day changed from the Governor's support to that of Supt. Kelsey. Had it been necessary it is believed that other Republican Senators would have voted against removal. It was known about legislative circles up to the time the roll was called that Senators Gilchrist and Foelker of Brooklyn could be counted upon to vote to sustain Mr Kelsey if their votes were necessary. Sen-ator Emerson was another who was looked upon to be favorable to Supt. Kelsey. In the case of the first two Senators it was evident that State Chairman Timothy L. Woodruft didn't want to show that his organization was hostile to the Governor. William Barnes, Jr., and J. Sloat Fassett weren't Barnes, Jr., and J. Stoat rassets weight so considerate. Mr. Barnes's own Senator, Grattan, and Wemple of Schenectady, whom he influences, voted to keep Mr. Kelsey at the head of the Insurance Depart-Kelsey at the head of the Insurance Department Mr. Fassett's Senator, Cassidy, did likewise. They voted to remove him a year ago. Senator Gates of Madison was another who voted last year to remove

and changed his position this year. While at no time has there been any doubt as to the final outcome of the vote on the proposition of removal, there was noticeable about the Senate chamber an air of tense-ness that indicated that the people who were supporting Supt. Kelsey were alive to what was going on. The galleries and the floor of the Senate chamber were filled with spec-tators, who had gathered expecting to hear the same kind of oratory that characterized the event at the last session. They were considerably bewildered when the clerk announced that the vote had been taken and that Supt. Kelsey would remain in office. Various explanations have been made as to the reason that the Senate again defied the Governor on this question. The one that

generally believed is that the Senators no longer fear the Governor.
"They are taking him at his word," said one legislative leader, "He has said repeatedly that he will neither reward nor punish any man, no matter how he votes on any question, and that he will place the re-sponsibility upon the Legislature for the failure to do as he recommends. A year ago they feared that he might do as other Governors have done, but he has not, and they therefore to-day exercised their own judg-ment, and if where are any consequences to

seems to have the most weight and which is

ment, and if there are any consequences to be borne they are ready to endure them."

The Kelsey question came up when the Lieutenant-Governor handed down the reply of Commissioner Matthew C. Fleming to the answer of Supt. Kelsey. Senator Armstrong, who was to lead the fight again for Gov. Hughes, asked that the Fleming reply be read by the clerk of the Senate. He would not have persisted in this but for Senator Raines. Senator Grady tried to He would not have persisted in this but the Senator Raines. Senator Grady tried to prevent the reading of the communication, saying that Supt. Kelsey's answer had not been read in the Senate and that a copy of the senate and that a copy of the senate and that a copy of the senate senator's an each Senator's the Fleming reply was on each Senator's desk. Senator Raines, though, belittled the Fleming reply and criticised Fleming for saying in his reply that Supt. Kelsey was unfit to hold any kind of an office. Senator Armstrong said that so long as any reference had been made to the Fleming reply he would insist upon having the reply read. Then Senator Grady said he would also have the Kelsey answer read. The clerk began to read the communications when Senator White said that it was only a waste of time to read the reply and the answer as every one was familiar with the His suggestion that the reading be suspended was agreeable to every one and the clerk cut short his reading.

Senator Raines next asked the presiding Senator Raines next asked the presiding officer to read the resolution and put the question: "Shall Otto Kelsey be removed from the office of State Superintendent of Insurance?" No sooner had the Lieutenant-Governor put the question than the roll was called and without a word other than the roll was called and was a word other than the roll was "aye" or "no" the fate of State Suprintendent
of Insurance Otto Kelsey was decided and
Gov. Hughes had again been rebuffed by
the State Senate. The vote was:

Ayes -Agnew, Armstrong, Burr, Carpenter, obb, Cordts, Davis, Dunn, Emerson, Foelker, Gilchrist, Heacock, Hinman, Knapp, Page, Saxe and Travis, Republicans; Fuller and aylor, Democrats-19. Noes-Alids, Cassidy, Fancher, Franchot,

Gates, Grattan, Hill, Hooker, Raines, Smith, O'Neil, Tully, Wemple, White and Wilcox, Republicans: Ackroyd, Boyce, Cohalan, Cullen, Frawley, Grady, Harte, Hasenflug, McCarren, McManus, Mullaney, Owens, Rams-perger, Sohmer and Sullivan, Democrats—30. Gov. Hughes refused to make any comment to-night on his return from New York on the Senate's action. He was asked if the matter was ended so far as he was concerned, but had nothing to say. It is the understanding that he is determined to adhere to the position he assumed some time ago of letting his work and with his time ago of letting his work end with his submission of his recommendation for removal to the Senate, believing, so he tells his friends, that the public will under-worried him.

stand that the responsibility following the TO COMPEL PEOPLE TO YOTE

Gov. Hughes had a conference this even-ing at the Executive chambers with Senator Agnew and Assemblyman Hart, the intro-ducers of his anti-racetrack gambling bill

in the Legislature. THE FLEMING STATEMENT. The Fleming statement is self-explanatory and simply reiterates the two broad charges that the Superintendent failed to reorganize the insurance department and failed to enforce the insurance laws. It is vigorous in its attack on Kelsey and pur-ports to riddle the Superintendent's defence. It is in part as follows:

While the time at my disposal is entirely too short to permit the drafting of any extended reply I still feel that in justice to you and myself I should call to your attention at least some of the inaccuracies and misstatements contained in this an and misstatements contained in this answer. It evidently was drafted by an attorney who is ignorant of the facts brought out in the testimony, and signed by Mr. Kelsey without careful consideration. In this answer he seeks to divert attention from the undisputed facts to a criticism of the sources and conduct of the investigation to show that the ques-tion is res adjudicata and by misstating facts and opinions and then controverting them to show that the inquiry was inaccurate and worthless.

Without taking the matter up in detail, Mr. Kelsey's theory of res adjudicata is an ingenious one. For from the various an ingenious one. For Iron the values of the Senate in May, 1907, it appears that Mr. Kelsey's theory is that if a public officer is charged with incompetency and the Senate once refuses to remove him he is immune from removal on additional charges of incompetency for all time. Such a theory of the status of the case is not worthy of

erious consideration."

Mr. Fleming then takes up Kelsey's com-

Mr. Fleming then takes up Reisey's com-plaint that he (Kelsey) was tried on charges without his knowledge. In regard to this Mr. Fleming says in part: "A reference to page 183 of the testimony will show that these charges were served upen Mr. Kelsey on September 12, and that on October 22, in answer to the question: Do on October 22, in answer to the question: Do you desire to reserve the privilege of putting in a formal answer later on? he answered: 'It would be called a general denial. I would be perfectly willing.' Mr. Kelsey's statement that he was deceived with regard to the fact that the charges were under consideration is typical of his entire answer. "As a matter of fact, there were two general charges—(one) Mr. Kelsey's failure to reorganize the Insurance Department,

to reorganize the Insurance Department, and (two) his failure to enforce the Insurance law. These two charges were so general that, while they formed the starting point of the inquiry, nevertheless during the inquiry many matters were considered which were not specifically set forth in the charges, but were embraced within the general inquiry as to whether or not Mr. Kelsey was enforcing the law or not Mr. Kelsey was enforcing the law effectively So that the implied statement in Mr. Kelsey's answer that the inquiry was confined these charges is absolutely without

Mr. Fleming then devotes fifteen pages o riddling Kelsey's reply. Among other

hings he says: almost every page of the answer absolutely erroneous impressions of the testimony are given either by suppression of facts or the misstating of facts and opinions. In this way it is extremely easy to set up men of straw for the purpose of knocking them down again, and to give the defence a strength more apparent

"While it will be impossible in the brief time at my disposal to discuss all of the matters referred to, some of them are of matters referred to, some of them are of sufficient importance to justify a detailed statement."
Mr. Fleming defends the justice and fair.

ness of the investigation, declares that "there was the greatest latitude given both Mr. Kelsey and other witnesses." and that under this procedure it was absolutely npossible for any witness to be misled.
"I submit that this inquiry," he says." conducted with the greatest possible con-sideration for Mr. Kelsey and his employees; that the fullest possible explanations and amplifications of testimony were not only permitted but invited, and that an answer which attempts to show bias and unfairness has always by no justification in fact."

has absolutely no justification in fact. Mr. Fleming concludes:
"I have just been informed that this reply. inder a resolution adopted to-day, must be presented to the Senate by 11 o'clock 40-morrow morning. As this will make it necessary to send a messenger with the re-ply to Albany at midnight it will obviously be impossible to discuss all the matters set

up in the superintendent's answer.
"The above statement of facts, thus limited and imperfect though it may be, amply stifies the conclusions of the January 30 and establishes the fact that the Superintendent has not measured up to the standard of efficiency upon which the the standard of efficiency upon which the state of New York has the right to insist. Furthermore, the very interposition of such an answer, with its reckless suppres-sion of facts and misleading statements, interposed with knowledge that there would be little or no opportunity to reply, shows clearly the unfitness of the present Superintendent for any position of trust."

## AUTO SPEED CONTESTS. Assemblyman Yale Abandons His Bill

Intended to Prohibit Them. ALBANY, Feb. 26.- The bill to prevent speeding autos on public roads has been abandoned by its introducer, John R. Yale. There was to have been a hearing on the measure to-day before the Assembly Ways and Means Committee and there were delegations on hand from Westchester and Nassau counties to oppose it, with no one in favor of it. In April there is to be a thirty mile speed contest on the Briar Cliff course in Westchester county, the consent of all the town authorities except in the town of Bedford having been secured. Wealthy residents of the town were to be here to-day to oppose the bill, but instead sent word that they could not get there and asked for an adjournment of the hearing. Assemblyman Yale objected to this and announced that he would abandon the bill, which prohibits town officials from onnsenting to such speed contests.

to Be Reported.

Bill for the Government of Political Parties ALBANY, Feb. 26 .- A bill which is to be eported favorably by the Senate Judiciary ommittee is the one introduced by Senator assidy providing for the governm Cassidy providing for the government of political parties and to prevent fraudulent and arbitrary methods in their manage-ment. This is the bill which is designed to put the Independence League out of busiss and is also to put Fingy Conners out. of the running as a possible successor to bimself as chairman of the Democratic State committee. The till also prevents a member of a State committee from being expelled except on conviction for a felony. Another provision prevents delegates to State conventions from being bound by the

\$20,000 Salary for the Governor.

ALBANY, Feb. 26. - The proposition to give ne Governor of the State a larger salary has been indorsed by the Senate Judiciary Committee. To-day that committee de-cided to report favorably Senator Agnew's proposed amendment to the Constitution increasing the salary of the Governor from \$10,000 to \$25,000 a year. There was much discussion as to just how much of an increase should be allowed and the committee finally decided to fix the salary at \$20,000.

HIS THROAT AND WRIST SLASHED. Foreman Thomas Campbell Found Dead in

His Home-His Wife in Hospital. Thomas Campbell, 47 years old, a foreman for the Robert Graves Wall Paper Company at Third avenue and Thirty-fifth Company at Third avenue and Thirty-fifth street, Brooklyn, was found dead last night at his home, 328 Fortieth street, Brooklyn, with his throat and wrist slashed. He didn't appear at the factory yesterday and two of his workmen went to his home last night to find out what was the trouble. They couldn't get into his apartments and a policeman of the Fourth avenue station who was summoned broke open the door. An ambulance surgeon from the Norwegian Hospital said that Campbell had been dead about ten hours. His wife has been in a hospital for a month and her illness had hospital for a month and her illness had

ON AMENDMENTS TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION.

The Hamny Bill Passed in the Assembly -Bill Providing for a Commission to Investigate the Pollution of the Waters of the Hudson River-Local Measures.

ALBANY, Feb. 26.-By a vote of 79 to 38 he Assembly to-day refused to discharge the Committee on Labor and Industries from further consideration of Assemblyman Northrup's bill providing that train despatchers must be licensed after an examination as to their fitness to hold such position.

Hamm's bill amending the Constitution so as to compel the people to pay more attention to the constitutional amendnents which are submitted to them. At present the adoption of an amendment to the Constitution requires only a maority of votes cast for the amendment Inder the Hamm amendment it compels the majority of voters to signify either heir approval or disapproval of the proosed change in the Constitution, so that if a majority of the voters who vote at any election do not vote on an amendment to the Constitution the result shall not count. At the present time Assemblyman Hamm showed by statistics that not more than o per cent. of the voters of the State ever rote for or against any of the constitutional amendments.

The Senate passed Assemblyman Hamm's bill which permits the large life insurance corporations to participate in the reorganization of corporations in which they have made investments. The bill is to meet the situation existing in regard to the Third Avenue Railroad.

Assemblyman Johnston introduced a bill authorizing the Board of Aldermen stands and designate places where public hacks shall stand at all times or portions of day and night, but not to grant special permanent rights to any persons or cor-

porations.

A bill introduced by Assemblyman Stern authorizes the use of armories in New York city for athletics purposes by pupils of any public school in the city with the permision of the commanding officer of the

striking from the insurance law the pro-vision requiring the payment by insurance ompanies to the Insurance Department of the expenses of examiners. Senator Travis and Assemblyman B. R.

Robinson introduced a bill providing for and its tributaries. The bill v to them by Edward Hatch, Jr., hey are to receive no salary.

Assemblyman Goldberg introduced three preme Court, and the Justices of the city court then serving shall become Justices of the Supreme Court. Another bill brings private bankers under the same obligat and duties as individual bankers. sane since the marriage.

license, which is \$500.

Senator Fuller introduced a bill providing that certified public accountants shall not be allowed to disclose communications made by their clients unless express waiver s made at the trial or examination of the Senator Cordts introduced a bill provid-

ing that corporations engaged in harvesting and storing ice must pay their employees Increases in the maximum salaries for the entire New York city Fire Department, from the chief down to the humblest em-

oloyee, are contained in a bill introduced by Senator McManus. Assemblyman Cuvillier introduced a bill

There has been much discussion in the gislation on bills to compel steam railroad orporations to pay semi-monthly instead f monthly. The bill has been before the egislature for six years. The Senate udiciary Committee to-day decided to re-

OFFERED COASTABLES GOLD.

For trying to sell \$29,000 worth of yellow netal to two Newark constables, two alleged gold brick merchants are locked up in the Essex county jail in that city pending an investigation. The prisoners gave their names as John Eisenberg of New York and Joseph Martin of Philadelphia. The authorities believe they are Newarkers.

Constables Thomas and Meyer met the two men at Springfield avenue and High treet by agreement. The prisoners were to show the constables, who were posing as "come ons," where the golden treasure was concealed. If it satisfied the constables they were to pay for it. The constables

arrested the men on sight. The constables say that the prisoners had represented to them on a former occasion that some of the gold which they proposed to deliver had been secretly carried from mines by workmen and that more of it had been secured during the Sen Francisco earthquake.

Taft Gets Four More in Ohio. to vote for Taft.

gress district Republican convention to-day indorsed Taft for President and elected George H. Dodson and Ed. S. Wiggins of Woodward delegates to the Chicago con-

Texas Seeks to Selze Standard Oil Co. & Cars. Dallas, Tex., Feb. º6. -Receiver Collett of the Standard Oil properties in Texas of the Standard Oil Company.

The Assembly passed Assemblyman

of New York city to create public back

Assemblyman Merritt introduced a bill

the appointment of a commission to investigate the pollution of the Hudson River York city, who has made the subject a special study. The Governor is to appoint we citizens, who with the Commissioner. f Health, are to constitute the commission. nission is to conduct an investigation to scertain the causes of the pollution of the Hudson and to determine what can be done to stop it. The commission is to report to the Legislature before March

bills to-day. One is an amendment to the constitution abolishing the city court of New York city from January 1, 1540, after which date it is to be merged with the Suthird bill provides that a divorce can be granted on the ground that either party to the marriage has become incurably in-

Senator Grady and Assemblyman Palmer introduced a bill favored by State Comptroller Glynn requiring employees of private detectives to become licensed. At the present time the head of an agency takes it a license and then employs others to ork for him and they enjoy the same privileges without paying the State for a

providing that not more than five cents can be charged for a continuous ride over any road in New York city. This is designed to meet the Coney Island cheap fare situa-

port favorably a resolution requesting the up-State Public Service Commission to investigate this question and to submit a report by March to.

It Was in Bricks, and the Merchants Are Lodgers in Essex County Jall.

STEUBENVILLE, Ohio, Feb. 26. The Republican Congress convention for the Eighteenth district to-day nominated D. H. Eighteenth district to-day nominated D. H. Hollingsworth of Cadiz for Congress. State Senator M. N. Duvall and James F. Anderson were chosen as delegates to the national convention and were instructed to vote for William H. Taft for President.

SHELBY, Ohio, Feb. 26.—The Fourteenth district Republican convention this afternoon renominated Jay F. Laning of Norwalk for Congress and selected A. L. Garford for Congress and selected A. L. Garford and F. B. Owen to be delegates to the na-tional convention. They were instructed

Taft Gets Two in Oklahoma ALVA, Okla., Feb. 26.-The Second Con-

to-day in the name of the State filed suit against General Manager Pettibone and the Gulf. Colorado and Santa Fé Railroad Company to compel surrender to the State of all cars of the Union Tank Line Company in possession of the Santa Fé system. Collett claims that the cars are the property of the Standard Oil Company.



HEARS FROM GOV. JOHNSON.

Mr. Craiger Gets Thanks for His Letter on Eastern Political Sentiment. S. M. Craiger, who wrote recently to as-

sure Gov. Johnson of Minnesota that conservative Democrats in the East favored his nomination for the Presidency, has received this reply: MY DEAR SIR: I have for acknowledgment

your very kind favor of February 20, in which you discuss from your viewpoint the situation in the Democratic party in the nation Permit me to thank you for your expressions of confidence in my availability as a candidate for the high office of President. I note what you say as to sentiment in the East and South, and also the expressions made at the Lincoln day dinner of the National Democratic Club. also note your statement as to the remarks of ex-Gov. Thomas of Colorado. From conversation had with Gov. Thomas, while I agree with you that he is quite radical in his tendencies, he is of the belief that one not quite so radical as he himself should be the standard bearer in the 1908 campaign Furthermore, I believe that he is a man abso lutely above suspicion and thoroughly sincere in his convictions.

It is perhaps superfluous to say that appreciate your expressions of confidence and esteem, and whether nor ot I shall ever be a candidate for the high office to which you refer, I shall treasure always such declarations of men like yourself. With assurances of my highest esteem, I beg to remain, very truly yours, Johnson. truly yours,

MACK SAYS INSTRUCT

And Believes Murphy and Conners Will Come Around to Bryan.

Norman E. Mack of Buffalo, the Demo ratic national committeeman from this State, said last night at the Hoffman House that he was confident that the delegation from this State to the national convention would be instructed for Bryan.

"I am aware," he said, "that men like Charles F. Murphy and William J. Conners, who think that they control the New York county and State organizations, are saying that the delegation will be uninstructed, but by the time the Democratic State convention comes around I think that they will find that the sentiment for Bryan in the West and in the South is so strong that they will fall into line and will not hold out against an instructed delegation.

m what I have heard already both Mr. Murphy and Mr. Conners are wavering, and between now and the State convention. when it will be made more apparent than now that Bryan is to be nominated, it can be depended on that both Murphy and Conners will change their attitud

MUST HAVE NEW YORK TO WIN.

Lauterbach Says Hughes Only Can Carry

State for Republicans. PITTSBURG, Feb. 26. - Edward Lauterbach of New York, who lectured here to-night on immigration talked politics this after-"New York," said he, "is the State that will elect the next President. Without her thirty-nine electoral votes any Republican candidate is doomed to defeat.

"Gov. Hughes is the only Republican who can safely carry the Empire State. While Philander C. Knox, William H. Taft and the other avowed candidates have qualifications personally and mentally equal to Mr. Hughes, not one of them can carry New York. "New York, solid for Hughes, with the apport of the New England States, will go

into the convention and nominate the Governor for President. A Bryan Dollar Dinner in Boston. BOSTON, Feb. 26. George Fred Williams and Col. A. C. Drinkwater of Braintree

have issued a call to the Massachusetts Democracy on behalf of the New England Democratic Progressive League to join the Massachusetts Bryan League. Included in the call is an invitation to attend a dollar dinner at Faneuil Hall on Saturday, at which the situation will be discussed by Senator Gore of Oklahoma and James T. Lloyd of Missouri, chairman of the Democratic Congress committee. PIEL BROS. East New York Brewery.

Colored Republicans Form Hughes League. The colored Republicans of the Fifteenth ongress district organized a Hughes eague last evening and selected Gilchrist Stewart, the colored leader of the Thir-teenth Assembly district, as their candi-date for delegate to the national conven-

To Succeed E. S. Holliday in Congress, BRAZIL, Ind., Feb. 26. Howard Maxwell of Parke county was nominated by the Republicans of the Fifth district for Coness to-day, to succeed E. S. Holliday, ne nomination was made by acclamation. Mr. Holliday had declined a renomination

JOTTINGS ABOUT TOWN. Judge Lacombe has granted the petition of Frederick W. Whitridge as receiver for the Forty-second street. Manhattanville, and St. Nicholas Avenue' Railroad Company and the Dry Dock, East Broadway, and Battery Railroad Company for leave to issue receiver's certificates for \$300,000 to buy new cars for the roads. The certificates run a year and pay 6 per cent, interest.

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Cox Says That's What Bride's Brother Said and He Wants Marriage Annulled. Charles W. Cox, a clerk in the Brooklyn Trus, Company, requests that his marriage to Mary Ann Cox be annulled on the ground that it was brought about through force and duress. The case is being tried in the Supreme Court, Brooklyn, and vesterday Cox testified that the brother of the defendant gave him the choice of getting married or being shot. He got married. Mrs. Cox denies that her husband was forced to wed her. She lives at 92 Marion street and declares that although her husband didn't live with her he came to see her very often. She asks alimony and counsel fees. Trust Company, requests that his marriage

The Rev. Father McInroe, who married he couple, denied that he knew any force was being employed in bringing about the marriage. Cox had testified that he told the priest the circumstances and that he

performed the ceremony with a full knowl-Lover's Rhyme lo Postman. A letter carrier who delivered a letter addressed in a masculine hand to a young

woman in the upper section of the city yesterday happened to notice an inscription on the flap of the envelope which read. Postman, postman, do your duty,

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Marshall, and George Dana Canfield.

MARRIED. CANFIELD MARSHALL On Monday, February 24. at St. Philip's Church, Charleston, S. C., Alida Chauler, daughter of the late Richard

26, at the residence of the bride's parents, 135 Central Park West, by the Rev. Richard Cobden. Jessie Louise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Murray, to Edward M. Dalley. GREGORY-RUSH, On February 26, 1908, by the Rev. Harris C. Rush, at St. Paul's Episcopal

DALLEY-MURRAY, On Wednesday, February

Church, Westfield, N. J., Elizabeth Louise Rush of Westfield, N. J., and Thomas Gregory of New York city.

DIED. BARR. - At Orange, N. J., February 25, 1908, Thomas Funeral services will be held at his late home. corner of Central av. and Centre st., on Saturday, February 29, at 10 o'clock. Prayer at the residence of his father, Dr. Benjamin Barr, 1601 Oxford st., Philadelphia, Saturday, at 3:30 P. M.

EDWARDS.-Elizabeth Edwards, widow of Alexander Edwards and formerly of Brooklyn, N. Y., at Greenwich, Conn., February 25, 1908. Notice of funeral hereafter. LEWIS .- On Wednesday morning, February 26.

Elizabeth Cleveland, wife of the late John W Lewis. Funeral at her late residence, 125 Hicks st., Brook lyn, N. Y., on Friday, February 28, at 2 P. M. Kindly omit flowers. Catskiii papers please

MORRELL. Suddenly, on Tuesday, February 25, at Elizabeth, N. J., George McKay, beloved husband of Sarah E. Morrell, age 61 years. Funeral services on Friday, February 28, at 3:15 P. M., in Trinity Church, Elizabeth, N. J. MORTON.-On Tuesday afternoon, February 24, Joseph A. Morton.
Funeral will take place from his brother's residence, 120 North Oxford st., Brooklyn, Thurs day afternoon, February 26, at 2 o'clock.

PROBASCO.—At Plainfield, N. J., on Tuesday, February 25, 1906, John B. Probasco, M. D., in his 66th year. Funeral service at the First Baptist Church.
Plainfield, N. J., on Friday, February 28, at 3 P. M. Train leaves Liberty st., New York o'clock. Chicago and Milwaukee papers

please copy.

STONE.—At Delhi, N. Y., on Tuesday, February 25, 1908. Howard Leander Stone of New York city, aged 55 years. Funeral services at Delhi on Thursday at 3 P. M

WEST.—On Tuesday, February 25, 1908, at 51 East 25th st., Clara Von Ottmer, wife of Dr. William Funeral services will be held at the Church of the Transfiguration, 29th st. between 5th and Madison avs., on Thursday, February 27, 1908,

In Memoriam.

FELSENTHAL-KAISER.-A memorial service in honor of the late Rabbi B. Felsenthal of Chicago and Rev. Alois Kaiser of Baltimore will be held at Temple Israel of Harlem, Thursday evening February 27, 1908, at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited by the New York Board of Jewish Ministers and the Cantors' Association